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Law (General) (1929) Department.

MS: SERIES.

G.O. No. 4878

DATED 16-12-1929.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Post mortem sheds - temporary - construction - South Kanara District - Beltangady, Hosdrug, Baindur, Mudabidri and Kadaba - sanctioned - Mortuary - construction in Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore - postponed to next official year.

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No. 3672-29-D-1.

Station Madras, Dated the 2nd October 1929

From (Name) P.Kandaswami Esquire, Advocate,

(Designation) Deputy Registrar, App.Side, High Court.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

LAW(General) Department.
(with enclosures).

Sir,

Post-mortem sheds - temporary construction - South Kanara district.

I am to forward herewith for the orders of Government letter Ref.No.C-1-4912-29 of 15th August 1929 from the - District Magistrate, South Kanara, requesting sanction for the construction of temporary post-mortem sheds at Beltangady, Hosdrug, Baindur, Mudabidri, Kadaba and in the Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore. The estimates forwarded by the District Magistrate therefor are also enclosed for reference and return.

The Honourable the Judges recommend the construction of the sheds in the first five places noted above. In G.O. No.

No.Mis.3111 Law(General) dated 3rd October 1927 Government sanctioned the construction of a temporary post-mortem shed at Mangalore. In his letter Ref.No.C-1-4912-29 dated 12th September 1929 (copy enclosed), the District Magistrate reports that a mortuary at the Women and Children's Hospital for keeping dead bodies of patients dying in hospital, till their relatives remove them is now required. As regards the necessary funds, I am to invite your attention to my letter R.O.C.No.2820-29-D-1 of 22nd July 1929, wherein it was suggested that the construction and maintenance of temporary post-mortem sheds also might be attended to by the Public Works Department from its funds. In case, it is decided to debit the cost to 24-Administration of Justice, the extra cost involved during the current year on accou of the post-mortem sheds to be constructed at Beltangady and Hosdrug can be met out of the budget grant for the year under 24(g)-Criminal Courts-Non-Contract Contingencies-Voted-Petty Construction and Repairs.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

P. Nandavara
4.X.29

Deputy Registrar.

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Please See portion marked A above. The main file has been sent up to P.W.D. Its return may be awaited before orders are passed in this file

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Post-mortem sheds - temporary - South Kanara - Construction - Proposals submitted.

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Ref.Cl. ~~No.~~ -4912-29.

Station Mangalore, *Dated the* 15th August 1929.

From (Name) G.W.Wells, Esquire, M.A., I.C.S.,
(Designation) Dt.Magistrate of South Kanara.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Through
Law (General) Department.
The Registrar to the High Court of Judicature,
Madras. Madras.

Sir,

With reference to paragraph 3 of G.O.No.Mis. 1293, Law (General), dated 4-4-1928, I submit estimates for the construction of ~~of~~ temporary post-mortem sheds at the six places in this district noted in the margin.

(1) Beltangady	Rs. 960
(2) Hosdrug	840
(3) Baindur	910
(4) Mudabidri	900
(5) Kadaba	1175
(6) Attached to the Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore.	930
	Rs.5715

2. Estimates for construction of post-mortem sheds at three of these places (Baindur, Beltangady and Mudabidri) had been submitted by me with my letter R.Dis.3268-28, dated 18-11-28. They were returned with the ---

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letter R.O.C.5027-28-D, dated 23-11-28 of the Assistant --- Registrar to the High Court of Judicature (Appellate side), for revision in the light of the remarks made therein, and they were then sent by me to the Executive Engineer, West Coast Division, Calicut, as suggested in the Assistant --- Registrar's letter. The Executive Engineer replied that the Sanitary Engineer to Government had proposed to Government a new type design for temporary post-mortem sheds, and that proposals for construction of new sheds may be allowed to await the orders of Government in the matter. The proposals were, therefore, kept in abeyance with the approval of the High Court (please see letter D.Dis.337/29, dated 15-5-29 of the Sub Assistant Registrar in charge).

3. On receipt of G.O.No. 1801 Law (General), dated -- 19-4-29 I reopened the question, and the estimates now enclosed by me were prepared by the Sub Divisional Officer, Northern Sub Division, Public Works Department, Mangalore, at my request, on the basis of the type design and schedule approved in the G.O. and with reference to cost of materials at each of the stations proposed.

4. The number of post mortem cases held at each of the five stations (except at the Lady Goschen hospital) referred to in paragraph 1, during the last 4 years is noted below:-

	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.
Beltangadi	4	2	2	4
Hosdrug	8	2	8	4
Baindur	4	1	4	3
Mudabidri	4	1	4	4
Kadaba	1	-	2	4

These stations are all centres of some importance, situated at some distance from existing post-mortem sheds and at each place ~~they~~ there are already located, a Police Station and a dispensary. The proposal to have a temporary post-mortem shed attached to the Lady Goschen hospital at Mangalore is a new

one, made at the instance of the District Medical Officer, -- South Kanara, with a view to make that hospital complete in all its equipment and sufficient in itself to satisfy all the needs of women and children.

5. I request that the estimates enclosed may be approved and returned to me, and that funds may be placed at my disposal to enable me to take up the construction of the two sheds at -- Beltangady and Hosdrug immediately, and of the rest in 1930-31.

Your obedient servant,

for Dt.Magistrate.

16.8.29

Copy to the Treasury Deputy Collector.

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Copy of letter Ref.No.C1-4912-29 dated Mangalore, 12th September 1929 from the District Magistrate of South Kanara, to the Registrar (Original Side), High Court of Judicature, Madras.

Post-mortem sheds- temporary construction - Your reference No.3672-29-D., datad 23rd August 1929.

The District Medical Officer, South Kanara, states that it is not a post-mortem shed that is required at Mangalore now, but a mortuary at the Women and Children's Hospital for keeping dead bodies of patients dying in hospital, till their relatives remove them.

Law Dept.

Subject:- Post mortem Sheds- temporary - Construction - South Kanara Dt

[C.No 4190A] From the Regr High Court No. 8672.29-J Dy 2.10.29

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Extract of notes on page 2 ct.

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Orders in the main file sent to P.W.D. have since been passed - vide (R) Lr.No. 3290.W Dy 13.11.29. According to this order the construction and maintenance of both temporary and permanent mortuaries (hereafter to be called 'minor' & 'major') will in future be entrusted to the P.W.D.. As the orders will take effect only from 1.4.1930, the construction of temporary sheds in the five places

mentioned in the High courts letter may be sanctioned in this dept.

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2 ~~As regards~~ The construction of a mortuary in Mangalore, attention is invited to G.O. No. 3111 Law/Sf, 3.10.27 in which the Govt sanctioned only a temporary post mortem Shed. But as it is now stated that a mortuary is necessary for keeping dead bodies of patients dying in hospital, there seems no objection to sanction this in supersession of G.O. No. 3111 Law/Sf, 3.10.27. It is however for consideration whether a major work like the construction of a mortuary may not be left to be ~~undertaken~~ by the P.W.D. If this is agreed to the construction of the mortuary may be postponed to the next official year. The High court has also not forwarded any plans or estimate for the same. ~~forwarded~~

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Orders are requested on points A & B above

Secretary to Government
Public Works and Labour Dept.
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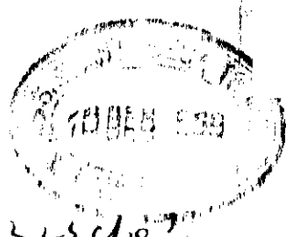

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Law(Genl) DEPARTMENT.

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ORDER.

No. 4878, dated 16-12-1929.

His Govt Sanction the construction of temporary post mortem sheds during the current year at the following places in the South Kanara District:

(1) Beltangady
(2) Hosdrug
(3) Baindur
(4) Kudabidri
(5) Kudaba.

2. The Govt Consider that the construction of a mortuary in the Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore, may be postponed

the next official year

Do. (with estimate note)

The Hon'ble the Chief Justice (with C.L)

D. M. South Kanara.

Copy to the P.W.& L.Dept with Copy of C.L